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County of Pulaski, Illinois

Petition for Modification of a 9-1-1 : Emergency Telephone Number System : 06-0242

STAFF'S ANSWER TO THE PETITION

Now comes the Staff of the Illinois Commerce Commission (Staff) and in support of its Answer to Pulaski County's Petition for Modification of a 9-1-1 Emergency Telephone Number System, states the following:

- 1. The Pulaski County 9-1-1 System received an order to operate its Enhanced 9-1-1 System from the Commission on November 5, 1998, in Docket 98-0661.
- 2. On March 24, 2006, Pulaski County filed a Petition for Modification of a 9-1-1 Emergency Telephone Number System in which it requests to relocate its primary Public Safety Answering Point (PSAP) to the Pulaski County Sheriff's Office Communication Center located in Mound City, Illinois.
- 3. The primary PSAP for the Pulaski County has been located at the Illinois State Police (ISP) District #22 headquarters located in Ullin, Illinois. The ISP recently notified the Pulaski County 9-1-1 system of its intention to discontinue operating as a primary PSAP for Pulaski County.
- 4. The Pulaski County Sheriff's Office Communication Center PSAP meets all the requirements for a primary PSAP as prescribed in Section 725.505 of Illinois Administrative Code Part 725 Standards of Service Applicable to 9-1-1 Emergency Systems.
- Staff has thoroughly reviewed Pulaski County's Petition for Modification of a 9-1-1 Emergency Telephone Number System and supports the petitioners' request for modification. In addition, Staff supports waiving a hearing in this docket.

Respectfully Submitted,

Stacy Ross

9-1-1 Program Assistant

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April 5, 2006

VERIFICATION

I, Stacy Ross, first being duly sworn upon oath, depose and say that I am the 9-1-1 Program Assistant for the Staff of the Illinois Commerce Commission, that I have read the attached and foregoing Answer to Petition by me subscribed and know the contents thereof; that said contents are true in substance and in fact, except as to those matters stated upon information and belief, and as to those, I believe same to be true.

Stacy Ross

9-1-1 Program Assistant

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 5th day of April, 2006.

Notary Public, Illinois

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I, Stacy Ross, 9-1-1 Program Assistant, Telecommunications Division, Illinois Commerce Commission, do hereby certify that on the 5th day of April, 2006, that I have delivered for filing with the Clerk of the Illinois Commerce Commission, the attached Answer to the Petition for Docket 06-0242, copies of which are hereby served upon parties of record.

Stacy Ross

9-1-1 Program Assistant

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